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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated December 14, 2004, Applicants hereby make the following election:

Applicants elect the claims of Group I (claims 1-48, drawn to mechanical housing for security tag, classified in class 24 subclass 704.1) for further prosecution in the above-identified application.

Applicants reserve the right to pursue the non-elected claims in a divisional application prior to issuance of a patent on the instant application.

If any additional issues arise which the Examiner believes would be best resolved by a telephone interview, he is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the number given below.

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